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10 transversely across the portion of the card projecting from the card carrier whereby the card may be swiped through an encoding device without removing the card from the card carrier.

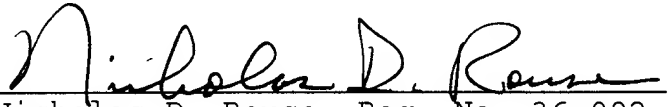
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5 7. (Amended) A card display package, comprising:
a card carrier constructed of a sheet of material; and
a card having a first side, a second side, a third side, and a fourth side, the card **[integrally formed with]**
10 connected to the card carrier so that the first side and a portion of the third and fourth sides of the card border the card carrier and the second side and a remaining portion of the third and fourth sides extend beyond the card carrier, the card having an encodable magnetic strip extending transversely across the card between the portions of the third side and the fourth side extending beyond the card carrier whereby the card may be swiped through an encoding device without removing the card from the card carrier.

Remarks

Claims 1 and 7 have been amended to change the term "integrally formed with" to "connected to" to avoid misinterpreting claims 1 and 7 to require one piece construction between the card and the card carrier.

It is respectfully submitted that the amendments to the claims are proper, do not constitute new matter and will not create an additional burden on the Examiner. That is, the amendments to the claims are merely to make more explicit that which was implicit, inherent, or intrinsic from an overall view of the claims, drawings and specification as originally submitted. Therefore, entry of these amendments and action on the merits of the claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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